



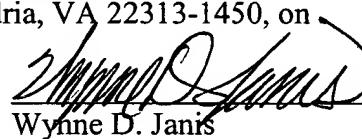
THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicants: Peterson et al. Confirm. No.: 3105
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME WITHIN THE THIRD MONTH

Applicants respectfully petition that they be granted an extension of time within the third month, until December 30, 2004, in accordance with 37 CFR §1.136(a), and 1.7, to file a Response to the Office Action mailed June 30, 2004. Our check in the amount of \$1020.00 is enclosed for the fee for a large entity to obtain this extension.

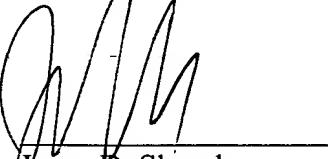
If for any reason this Petition is found to be incomplete, or if at any time it appears that a telephone conference with counsel would help advance prosecution, please telephone the undersigned or his associates, collect in Waltham, Massachusetts, (781) 890-5678.

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